

drawings are revised for clarification. Specifically, FIGs. 11-12 and 14-27 have been revised to add the designation -Prior Art-, and FIG. 19 has been revised to add the number -220-.

No new matter has been added.

**IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

✓ Page 2, line 16, after "as" insert -a-;

✓ Page 2, line 27, after "layer" change "208" to -210-;

✓ Page 2, line 28, after "with" delete "a";

✓ Page 3, line 21, change "oxide" to -dioxide-;

✓ Page 3, line 22, change "oxide" to -dioxide-;

✓ Page 3, line 23, change "oxide" to -dioxide-;

✓ Page 4, line 24, before "generated" insert -are-;

✓ Page 5, line 3, after "problem," change "an" to -a-;

✓ Page 5, line 5, change "near-by" to -nearby-;

Page 5, line 18, after "grown on" insert -the-;

✓ Page 6, line 6, change "substantial" to -substantially-;

✓ Page 6, line 9, change "anneal" to -annealing-;

✓ Page 6, line 23, change "into" to -in-;

✓ Page 7, line 11, change "114" to -116-; change "116" to -114-;

✓ Page 8, line 2, after "900°C" change "to" to -and-;

✓ Page 8, line 5, insert commas after "that" and "121";

✓ Page 8, line 25, before "mask" insert -photo-;

✓ Page 9, line 7, change "were" to -was-;

✓ Page 9, line 19, change "illustrates" to -illustrate-;

✓ Page 9, line 23, change "indicates" to -indicate-;

✓ Page 9, line 27, after "annealing" change "a" to -the-;

✓ Page 10, line 3, change the period after "12" to a comma and change "It" to -it-;